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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RAW SEQUENCE LISTING ERROR REPORT

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Sir:

This is in response to the "Raw Sequence Listing Error Report" submitted with a "Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application" dated November 7, 2001, requiring Applicants to comply with sequence requirements of 37 C.F.R. 1.822 and/or 1.823. Accompanied herewith is a paper copy of a substitute Sequence Listing, a computer readable format of the substitute Sequence Listing, as well as a "Statement Pursuant to 37 C.F.R §§ 1.825(a) and (b)."

This response is timely filed because a petition for extension of time is enclosed herewith. However, should any additional fees be deemed necessary in connection with the filing of this document, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any such fees to deposit account number 13-2855.